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SUBJECT: LIBYAN AMBASSADOR'S VIEWS ON NIMBUS STAR

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1. FOREIGN MINISTRY DIR GEN VENIAMIN SAYS HE IS UNAWARE OF A FORMAL DEMARCHE BY LIBYAN AMBASSADOR TO THE ARCHBISHOP, SAYS HE WOULD PROBABLY HAVE KNOWN HAD THERE BEEN ONE. HE COULD NOT SAY WITH CERTAINTY THAT THE LIBYAN AMBASSADOR HAD NOT MENTIONED THE MATTER TO THE ARCHBISHOP.

2. VENIAMIN DID CONFIRM THAT THE LIBYAN AMBASSADOR HAS BEEN COMPLAINING TO A NUMBER OF PEOPLE ABOUT THE GOVT OF CYPRUS' WILLINGNESS TO HELP THE EGYPTIANS. THE BRUNT OF THE COMPLAINT HAD NOT BEEN AGAINST THE MARINES' PRESENCE, BUT
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